

## Message Text

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ACTION SS-25

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O 091103Z JAN 78  
FM AMEMBASSY TEL AVIV  
TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO IMMEDIATE  
INFO SECSTATE WASHDC PRIORITY 429

C O N F I D E N T I A L TEL AVIV 0302

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FOR AMBASSADOR EILTS FROM LEWIS

E.O. 11652: GDS  
TAGS: PGOV, EG, IS  
SUBJECT: EXPENSES OF PRESS TO CAIRO AND JERUSALEM MEETINGS

1. EVRON ASKED ME YESTERDAY JAN. 8 IF HE COULD USE  
OUR GOOD OFFICES WITH EGYPTIANS TO CONVEY FOLLOWING  
PROPOSAL.

2. GOI SUGGESTS THAT IT PICK UP EXPENSES FOR EGYPTIAN  
OFFICIAL PARTY AND SUPPORT TEAM TO JERUSALEM POLITICAL  
CONFERENCE AND GOE DO LIKEWISE FOR ISRAELI OFFICIAL  
PARTY AND SUPPORT TEAM TO CAIRO MILITARY COMMITTEE  
TALKS. NEITHER GOVERNMENT WOULD PAY ANY OF THE  
EXPENSES OF ANY OF THE JOURNALISTS ACCOMPANYING EITHER  
GROUP. HE BELIEVES THESE SHOULD BE THE RESPONSIBILITY  
OF THE NEWSPAPER, RADIO OR TV GROUP INVOLVED. EVRON  
ADDED THAT OF COURSE EACH GOVERNMENT SHOULD CONTINUE  
TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR COSTS DIRECTLY RELATED TO  
ESTABLISHMENT OF PRESS FACILITIES. IT SEEMS TO BE  
ROOMS, FOOD AND INCIDENTALS FOR PRESS THAT HE IS  
MOST CONCERNED ABOUT.

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3. EVRON MADE IT CLEAR THAT ISRAELIS WERE EXTREMELY  
IMPRESSED BY EGYPTIAN HOSPITALITY IN CAIRO AND  
ISMAILIA AND HIS PROPOSAL IN NO WAY SHOULD BE  
INTERPRETED AS IMPLYING DISSATISFACTION WITH GOE  
PERFORMANCE. IT COMES DOWN TO A SIMPLE MATTER OF COSTS  
AND BUDGETS.

SINCE BOTH SIDES APPEAR TO BE GEARING UP FOR  
MAJOR PRESS COVERAGE OF JERUSALEM AND CAIRO MEETINGS  
I WOULD HOPE YOU WOULD HAVE AN OPPORTUNITY TO DISCUSS  
THIS WITH GOE TODAY BEFORE PRESS ARRANGEMENTS PROCEED  
ANY FURTHER.  
LEWIS

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